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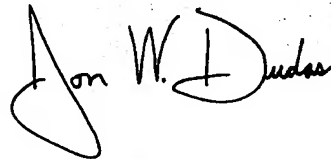
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 2, Line 11,
Please delete "confocal microscope"
and
replace with
-- U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,783,814 and 5,672,861 describe focusing in a confocal microscope --

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